

\$50,000 IMPROVEMENTS TO BROWN SHOE FACTORY

Troops Passive in Londonderry Civil War

MAKING NO EFFORT TO STOP FIGHTS IN IRISH TOWN

Soldiers Merely Try to
Keep Non-combat-
ants off Streets

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Londonderry, June 23.—Londonderry was again the scene of rioting today. At 9:30 o'clock this morning fighting was going on between opposing parties of Unionists and Nationalists, who shot over barricades that had been erected at various vantage points. The military was active in preventing citizens from venturing into the streets, which were deserted except by the active belligerents. Looting occurred in the city during the night.

MILITARY IS PASSIVE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Londonderry, June 23.—There was no cessation today in the battle between Unionist and Nationalist factions which has kept Londonderry in a terror stricken state for some days past.

During the night the rival factions erected additional barricades from which they kept up a continuous fire. At times the shooting reached the intensity of volleys.

The malcontents today were in entire charge of most of the city and it even was impossible to learn the number of casualties. Reports were that several bodies had been seen lying in Bishop street, but it was worth one's life to attempt to get to Bishop street to verify the reports.

Soldiers Watch Fighters.

The military remained passive, the troops watching bodies of armed men pass through the side streets to their battle positions. Considerable fighting occurred on the waterfront, which was cut off from the rest of the town. The central police station was isolated from the other stations and the police virtually were besieged. It was rumored that a force of Sinn Feiners was gathering outside the city and also that the Irish volunteers were to take a hand.

No more troops had arrived in Londonderry up to this afternoon. It was reported, however, that an additional battalion was on the way.

As many persons as are finding it possible to do so are leaving Londonderry.

ATTACK CATHOLIC COLLEGE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Londonderry, June 23.—Civil war continues in Londonderry. There has been fierce fighting in the streets over the wide area of the city last night, according to a Central News dispatch.

St. Columbkille's college, a Catholic institution was attacked by rifle fire and a Catholic named McKenna was shot dead. Numerous other casualties are reported.

Special Train for Dixon Elks Going to Grand Lodge Meet

Dixon Elks will attend the national convention at Chicago July 7, going and coming by special train. The committee from the local lodge have completed all arrangements for the transportation of Dixon Elks and members of their families. The special will leave Dixon over the Northwestern at 7:30 a. m. on the morning of July 7th, arriving in Chicago about 10 o'clock. Returning, the special will leave the depot at Chicago about midnight.

The round trip fare will amount to \$4.25 for Elks and their families. Explanatory letters and other information are being mailed out to every member of the local lodge. Dixon will have a special train for its own members and their families. No stops will be necessary after leaving Dixon as no other lodges are to be taken in on this train.

WHO LOST A BICYCLE?

The police have a bicycle that was found the first of the week which will be delivered to the owner upon his calling and giving a description of the property. The wheel has been considerable use but is in fair shape and was brought to the police station after laying in a down town alley for a couple of days.

TO FRISCO CONVENTION.

Two trainloads of Democrats, en route to the national convention at San Francisco, passed through Dixon via the Northwestern yesterday afternoon.

CLOSE FIGHT ON DRY ISSUE EXPECTED AT FRISCO CONVENTION

Question Eclipses League
Issue in Preliminary
Discussion

By Associated Press Leased Wire
San Francisco, June 23.—Rumblings of Democratic discord over the prohibition question became hourly ominous today as delegates and party chiefs arrived in increasing number for the convention.

Hope that the gathering storm might spend itself behind the closed doors of the platform virtually was abandoned by the leaders and they prepared to face an outbreak of tempestuous debate on the floor of the convention.

Such a development, it was agreed everywhere, would hold many dramatic possibilities, including a further complication of the uncertain outlook as to the presidential nomination.

Burleson Statement

Already the overwhelming issue in pre-convention conferences—the question of a platform declaration against the present "bone dry" law—almost took the whole stage for itself today as the gathering delegates heard of Postmaster General Burleson's announcement for a modification of the Volstead act. By many accustomed to regard the postmaster as a political spokesman for the White House, this was accepted as a warm-up.

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ONE HURT WHEN PASSENGER HIT AUTO AT NELSON

Daniel Mitcheff, section foreman for the Northwestern at Nelson, suffered a severe scalp wound and badly wrenched back when his Ford automobile, in which he and two friends were riding, was struck by the Peoria passenger train in the Nelson yards Monday evening. Mitcheff is now at the Sterling hospital, where he is not expected his injuries will prove of much seriousness.

Mitcheff and two fellow workers were riding across a private crossing near the railroad ice house, and drove directly in front of the passenger train, which was entering the yard slowly. The foreman's companions were able to jump before the locomotive hit the machine, but Mitcheff was driving and could not get from under the wheel.

Fortunately the train was moving slowly, which accounts for the driver's lucky escape from more serious hurts. The car was badly wrecked.

Council Gets Bids on City Improvement

Bids were filed on three local improvements at last evening's meeting of the city council and will be on file in the office of the mayor until next Tuesday evening for public inspection. Tuesday evening, the city engineer, J. W. Dwyer, of Middleboro, Ky., a traveling auditor of the United Mine Workers of America in an office last night, today questioned further the party of lawyers, who had met in the office.

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Wonder if Harding Will Continue Gifts

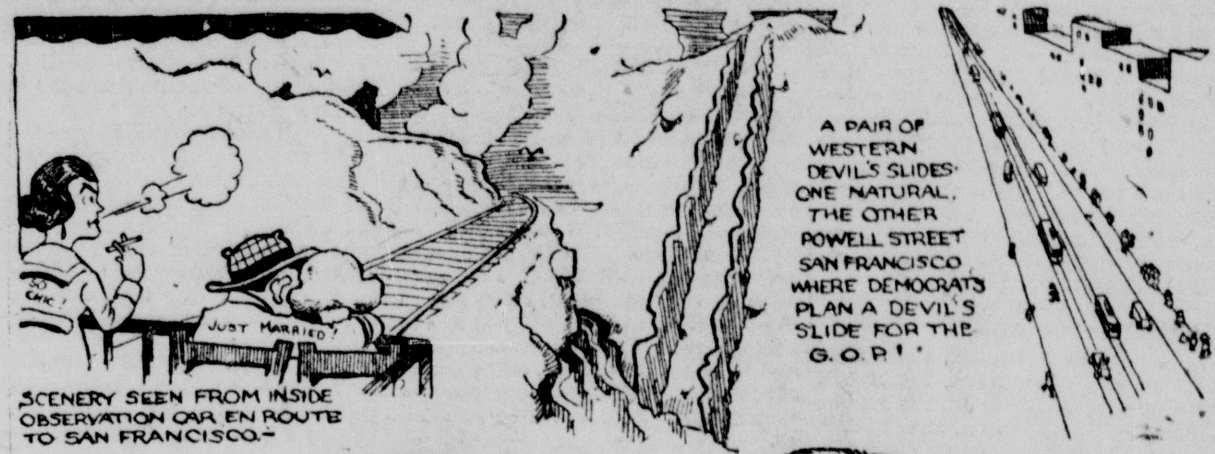
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Marion, O., June 23.—In the past several years six Marion children have been named after Warren G. Harding, the Republican presidential nominee. At Christmas time, Senator Harding has always remembered each namesake with a \$5 gold piece.

Since his nomination to the presidency, many children all over the country have been named for Harding. His friends here are wondering if each new namesake will receive the customary Christmas present.

STOWAWAYS ESCAPED.

New York, June 23.—Four men detained at the Ellis Island immigration station for deportation as stowaways, escaped to the mainland today in a row boat. Immigration officials would not reveal their names.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION SCENES AT SAN FRANCISCO



E.H. MOORE OF OHIO, WHO IS ON THE JOB NURSING THE COX BOOM!



OUR OLD FRIEND 'SILVER DOLLAR' NEARLY FORGOTTEN IN THE EAST GREETED DELEGATES ON EVERY HAND

WEATHER.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1920.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago and Vicinity—

Fair tonight and probably Thursday. Slowly rising temperature; variable winds mostly easterly.

Illinois—

Fair tonight and probably Thursday; rising temperature in north and central portions.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

The range of the local temperature during the 24 hours ending this morning was between 79 and 81 degrees.

Union Official is Dead; Detroit Atty. Under Examination

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Detroit, Mich., June 23.—Authorities investigating the killing of August Dwyer, of Middleboro, Ky., a traveling auditor of the United Mine Workers of America in an office last night, today questioned further the party of lawyers, who had met in the office.

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Another Earthquake Los Angeles Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Los Angeles, Calif., June 23.—A slight earthquake at 4 a. m. today was felt chiefly in the southern section of Los Angeles and at Inglewood, which sustained the heaviest damage in the shock of Monday night. The tremor today rattled buildings, but caused no damage.

University Expert to Handle Dairying of Agricultural Assn.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Urbana, Ill., June 23.—E. R. Clark for four years head of the dairy extension department of the college of agriculture of the University of Illinois has been appointed to take charge of the dairy marketing of the Illinois Agricultural Association and will begin his new work on August 1.

Minneapolis Woman Heads Women's Clubs

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Des Moines, Ia., June 23.—Mrs. T. G. Winter of Minneapolis was chosen president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at yesterday's election, it was announced officially at the biennial convention this morning.

HEADS OF RAIL UNIONS REFUTE STRIKE RUMORS

Say Talk of Walkout
Friday is Propaganda of Outlaws

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, June 23.—President Wilson sent a message today to the railroad labor board at Chicago urging that it make an immediate award of the wage controversy. The text of the message was not made public at the white house.

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, June 23.—Information prepared for submission to Secretary Payne today indicated that unless assurances were given immediately to railway workers that a wage adjustment might be expected soon, the unauthorized strike of trainmen at Philadelphia, Baltimore and many other points might not be opposed further by the Brotherhood.

DECISION IN FORTNIGHT.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Ill., June 23.—President Wilson's message asking that the railway wage board give an immediate decision in the wage controversy has not yet been received here, the board announced at 1 p. m.

The board's decision revising wages of all railroad employees probably will be handed down within the next two weeks, it was indicated.

Impatience Delays Work.

Judge R. M. Barton, chairman of the board, said the impatience of railroad men to get a decision was only delaying the case. He declared the board's deliberations were being interrupted scores of times daily by delegations of railroad men.

The board's publicity department declared that the delay in reaching a decision had nothing to do with the present railroad strikes and that the board believed the strikes would continue even after the wage case is settled.

The strikes, it was said, are prompted by an internal fight for control of the railway unions and not primarily by dissatisfaction with wages.

To Deceive Public.

The wage question has been injected, it was intimated, to deceive the public.

The labor board declined to consider the claims of the strikers, the railroads announced that the men's places (Continued on Page Two.)

THURSDAY EVE. BAND CONCERT ON SOUTH SIDE

Committee Forced to Change Plans for Weekly Program

The Chamber of Commerce committee in charge of the open air concert by the Dixon Municipal band, the second of which will be played tomorrow evening, has found it necessary to change the location of tomorrow evening's program, which had been announced as John Dixon park on the north side, and it was announced today that this week's entertainment will be given at the Nachusa Tavern balcony.

The contractor who is setting up the playground equipment which was recently received, started at work in the north side park this morning, setting the uprights for the equipment in cement. That cement will not be "set" by tomorrow night and it is feared children would make premature use of the equipment and destroy the foundation. Consequently the decision to give the concert on the south side tomorrow evening.

The band has rehearsed diligently for the concert and Director Smith has prepared an entertaining program which will start at 8 o'clock sharp. The program is:

March—First Brigade I. N. G. Weldon

Overture—Scarlet King Jewell

Waltz Song—Who'll Take the Place of Mary Arr. Trinkaus

Serenade—Magnolia Missus

March—Stars and Stripes Forever

Overture—Spick and Span Jewell

Fox Trot—I Want a Daddy Sioane

Fantasia—Maryland Fuhrer

March—The Merrimack Hayes

Star Spangled Banner

Will H. Smith, Director.

COAL SHORTAGE HITS GAS CO. AGAIN; ALL MUST CONSERVE FUEL

Service Shut Off During
Night—Outlook is Not
Encouraging

For the first time in several weeks the Illinois Northern Utilities company was forced to shut off the gas service in Dixon last night, the supply in the reservoirs getting so low that it was necessary to stop all consumption while the benches were worked continuous through the night to replenish the supply.

Shortage of coal again has hit the local gas plant, the conditions being similar to those encountered by the company several weeks ago. It is explained at the offices of the company that the railroads are supplying the Kentucky mines with only sufficient cars to operate two days a week. Of course the production of gas-making coal is thus cut to one-third of normal—and of this one-third production the I. N. U. gets its pro rata share. Some Illinois coal has been secured by the company and in every way possible the company is laboring to overcome the conditions which it has encountered.

The gas consumers of Dixon, too, have been fortunate in not having the service discontinued as frequently as it has been in Sterling and several other cities in this vicinity. In Sterling it has been necessary to shut off the service each evening after the supper hour for several weeks, and several afternoons the company has found it necessary to stop consumption while the reservoirs are partially filled.

Patrons Must Conserve.

With the immediate situation most discouraging in its outlook, the gas company again appeals to consumers to be as conservative as possible in the use of the product. Unless consumption of gas undoubtedly puts a big strain on the plant every day, and if all the patrons will use gas as little as possible the periods of no service will be less frequent and of shorter duration.

I. N. U. Makes Statement

The following statement was made by an I. N. U. official this morning. The company is not in a position to give to the public opinion the coal situation is not better. The conditions over the country are worse at present than during the early part of the Switchman's strike, inasmuch as at that time there was a supply of coal above ground and in transit, and the problem was to find and move the cars. The stock in Dixon is practically exhausted, although a small amount is in transit.

At present as a direct result of the conditions arising from that strike there is no supply of gas coals above ground, owing to the non-return of cars to the mines and the consequent loss of time of the mine workers, some mines being practically inoperative, and mining in others is carried on for only a day or a day and one half per week as cars are supplied to them.

Every possible effort is being made to keep the gas production up to the requirements of consumption, which on certain days has passed the amount which it is possible to make, and the outlook for the present is very discouraging for any great improvement.

Additions to Equipment

The Utilities Company is erecting additions to its production equipment in Dixon at the present time, which when completed will increase the production capacity of the plant one third, but while this equipment was bought in November of last year, it will be at least six weeks before it is ready for use.

In the meantime it will be necessary if further shutdowns are avoided that each individual conserve to the utmost in their use of gas, thus enabling themselves and their neighbors to procure that amount which is absolutely necessary, which would be impossible if each used all they desired regardless of consequences.

The company earnestly appeals to consumers to co-operate in every possible way in reducing consumption until these critical conditions are bettered and a normal amount of fuel is being produced.

Yale Honors Gen. Pershing; Others

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New Haven, Conn., June 23.—Yale university at its two hundredth and nineteenth commencement exercises in Woolsey Hall today conferred honorary degrees of doctors of laws on General John J. Pershing, Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the United States and Jean Adrien Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States.

CONTRACTS FOR WORK ARE LET TO DIXON MEN

Local Factory Will be
Made Completely
Sanitary

Superintendent Walter Watkins of the Dixon plant of the Brown Shoe company this morning announced that work had been started on alterations and improvements on the local plant, which when completed would represent an expenditure of not less than \$50,000. The bulk of the work will be the remodeling of the old plant with several new additions and the contracts for this work have been let to Howard Wheeler of this city. Several thousand dollars worth of plumbing is to be installed in the building and this contract has been let to Otto Witzleb.

Contractor Wheeler started to work on the improvements and alterations with a small force of men on Monday morning. He will add considerably to this force with the arrival of material and all of the work contemplated is to be rushed to completion as early as possible. Supt. Watkins stated this morning that when the work is completed that company will not fear the most rigid sanitary inspection of the Dixon plant.

To Improve Sanitation

"The improvement and alterations are not being made with a view of obtaining more floor space," he said, "but it is to provide proper sanitation for our employees. When the work is completed I believe that we will have the most sanitary factory in Dixon and things will be rushed to completion this summer."

The brick wall which has served to divide all of the floors of the building, is to be torn out entirely and will be replaced with steel truss beams and steel posts. This will provide much better circulation of air throughout the building and will greatly increase the natural light. The elevator in the main building is to be torn out and placed to the north. In addition to this, a new three story brick structure is to be erected on the north wing of the building. A coal storage building of brick structure, is to be erected adjoining the boiler room, having a capacity of six cars of coal.

New Loading Platform

A concrete loading platform will also be added to the north side of the building and with the other improvements will necessitate the removal of the present switch tracks and a new system will be inaugurated. By the new method it will be possible to load shoes, unladen material and coal at the same time without interference.

The sanitary improvements are by far the most important of the program of alterations. The toilets will be arranged and equipped to conform with the most rigid sanitary rulings, all of the old equipment to be torn out and replaced with new and modern furnishings. The floors will be asphalt and equipped with drains which will permit their being thoroughly scrubbed once daily. The entire building is to be equipped with sanitary drinking fountains, so arranged as to be accessible to employees in any part of the building. In the new additions the present overhead sprinkler fire system will be extended.

The entire building will be repainted throughout, a white paint being used with a slate colored trimming. The exterior woodwork of the building will also be repainted. The roof of the factory building which has been in need of repairs for some time, is to be practically renewed. All of the work will be under the supervision of Thomas J. Manahan of St. Louis who will spend a considerable part of his time at the local plant this summer, making it one of the most sanitary factories in this section of the state and bringing the working conditions up to a much higher standard. The factory will remain in operation while the alterations and improvements are being made.

Theft of Ordnance Worth Million Now Under Investigation

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Toledo, O., June 23.—Government agents investigating the disappearance of ordnance equipment at the Erie gun proving grounds at Fort Clinton, 40 miles east of here, redoubled their efforts today to find the parties guilty of thefts that will amount close to a million dollars.

Lumber Prices Had Drop in Kentucky

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Kansas City, June 23.—A general reduction of about 10 per cent in lumber prices today was made effective in all retail lumber yards in Kansas City. The reduction ranges from \$5 to \$15 a thousand.

Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
CORN—July	1.77 1/2	1.81	1.76 1/2	1.80 1/2	1.79
Sept.	1.67 1/2	1.71	1.66 1/2	1.70 1/2	1.69 1/2
OATS—July	1.02 1/2	1.04 1/2	1.02	1.03 1/2	1.03 1/2
Sept.	.84 1/2	.86	.84	.85 1/2	.85 1/2
PORK—July	34.65	34.65	34.30	34.60	34.45
Sept.	36.25	36.35	36.10	36.35	36.20
LARD—July	20.62	20.62	20.55	20.55	20.65
Sept.	21.60	21.60	21.52	21.55	21.62
RIBS—July	18.25	18.25	18.12	18.15	18.22
Sept.	19.30	19.30	19.20	19.22	19.25

Corn Drops Sharply Then Rallies Today

Chicago, June 23.—Prices dropped sharply in the corn market today owing to lack of support. Favorable advices about corn and other grain did a good deal to make the selling side popular. The fact, however, that receipts were not so liberal as expected led afterward to something of a rally. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/2 to 1 1/2 lower, with July 1.77 1/2 to 1.78 1/2 and September 1.67 1/2 to 1.68 1/2, were followed by additional losses and then by a moderate upturn.

Oats were governed by the changes in corn. After opening 1/2 to 1 1/2 off, including September at 84 1/2 to 84 1/2, the market sagged a little further, and then recovered somewhat. Packers' selling weakened provisions. Lard in particular was under pressure.

Subsequently a decided upturn. In quotations resulted from new strikes of switchmen on western roads. The close was strong, 1 1/2 to 2c net higher with July 1.80 1/2 to 1.81 and September 1.70 1/2 to 1.71.

Chicago Livestock.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, June 23.—Cattle receipts 8,000; strong to 25c higher; early top 16.50; some higher; bulk 14.00 to 16.00; medium to best cows and heifers strong to 25c higher; others slow and steady; bulls, calves and stockers steady.

Hogs—receipts 22,000; steady to 15c higher; pig packers did very little; top 16.25; bulk light and light butchers 15.50 to 16.10; bulk 250 pounds and over 14.85 to 15.80; pigs generally steady.

Sheep—receipts 11,000; active; 25c to 50c higher; Choice native lambs 17.00; bulk 16.00 to 17.00; choice yearlings 14.75; aged wethers 9.25; choice ewes 7.75; with bulk at 6.00 to 7.75.

Chicago Produce.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, June 23.—Potatoes—dull, receipts 55 cars; southern triumphs sacked 7.00 to 7.50; eastern cobblers sacked 12.50 to 13.00.
Butter—firm; creamery 43 to 55.
Eggs—unchanged; receipts 29,694 cases.
Poultry—alive, higher; fowls 31 1/2.

Liberty Bonds

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, June 23.—Final prices today were: 3 1/2% 92.08; first 4% 85.50 second 4% 85.50; first 4 1/2% 86.20; second 4 1/2% 85.50; third 4 1/2% 89.26; fourth 4 1/2% 85.78; Victory 3 1/2% 85.82; Victory 4 1/2% 95.66.

Chicago Cash Grain

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, June 23.—Wheat No 2 red 2.90; No 4 hard 2.76; Corn, No 1 mixed 1.83 to 1.84 1/2; No 2 mixed 1.83 to 1.83 1/2; No 6 mixed 1.74; No 1 yellow 1.85 to 1.86; No 2 yellow 1.83 1/2 to 1.84 1/2; No 3 yellow 1.83 1/2 to 1.84 1/2; No 4 yellow 1.82; No 6 yellow 1.85 to 1.86; No 1 white 1.88 1/2 to 1.91; No 3 white 1.88; No 6 white 1.74; sample grade 1.30 to 1.71.
Oats, No 2 white 1.17 to 1.18 1/2; No 3 white 1.12 to 1.14; No 4 white 1.11 1/2; sample grade 1.10.
Wheat No 1 red 2.90; No 2 hard 1.76.

The Best Advice FOR MOTHERS

ELGIN ILLS.—"I was weak, nervous and run-down after motherhood, and was advised to take the Favorite Prescription. I took about five bottles while nursing my baby and he seemed to improve as much as I did. My appetite was normal once more and I was able to sleep at night, and became strong and well. I would never hesitate in recommending Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription to all young mothers who need just such a tonic for they will be benefited as I have been."—MRS. CARRIE HILL, 314 Dundee Ave.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a remedy that any ailing woman can safely take, because it is prepared from roots, does not contain alcohol or narcotics. All druggists. Send 10 cents for trial package of "Favorite Prescription Tablets" to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., or write for advice.

Mrs. C. A. Pratt Died in Western Hospital

Frank M. Pratt this morning received word from his brother, C. A. Pratt, of Tacoma, Wash., telling of the death of the latter's wife Sunday night, following an operation. Mrs. Pratt was formerly Miss Nellie DeWolfe, daughter of Judge E. Wolfe, of the Lee County Court.

GRACE CHURCH NOTES.
The new bell, purchased for Grace United Evangelical Church, will be dedicated next Sunday. The Sunday school and church services will be combined in the forenoon. Eight three-minute talks on the principal characters in the bible lessons of the past quarter will be given. There will be good music and the new books, "Victory Songs," will be used. The pastor, Rev. C. G. Unangst, will speak on "The Scriptural Conception of the Church." The ringing of the bell will be an invitation for all to come to God's house.

The weekly prayer meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock in the church. A conference of the Sunday school members will be held immediately afterwards. The Senior choir will also meet for rehearsal after the prayer meeting.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL.
Musical program and ice cream and cake social at the Prairieville church Friday evening. 14813.

IS BUILDING RESIDENCE.
C. H. Keyes is erecting a modern 7-room house at 714 Dixon avenue, which he expects either to sell or rent.

Mrs. Eleanor Curtin is in Chicago today from the O. H. Brown store.

WILSON NEED NOT BE CONSIDERED DECLARES BRYAN IN HIS PAPER

Commoner Also Says McAdoo Handicapped by Being Son-in-Law

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Lincoln, Neb., June 23.—Discussing possible Democratic candidates for the presidency in an article in his newspaper, The Commoner, published here, W. J. Bryan declared that for Mr. McAdoo is handicapped as a candidate "by his close relationship with the president" while President Wilson himself, he says, "need not be considered."

Asserting that Mr. McAdoo is also handicapped by "his silence on the peace treaty," Mr. Bryan declares Mr. McAdoo is unable to call to his support "those to whom the President's candidacy appealed with special force" and that he would "furnish an easy mark for all of the President's enemies." The article says, however, that Mr. McAdoo has considerable strength among wage earners.

Referring to President Wilson, Mr. Bryan says that "while vague hints and suggestions have been thrown out occasionally, no one claiming to speak for the President or near enough to him to be assumed to express his wishes has announced his candidacy."

Discussed "Available." Herbert Hoover is eliminated from the list of candidates whom Mr. Bryan considers "available" while Senator Owen of Oklahoma and Secretary Meredith are described as being among the few available men thus far mentioned. To be available this year, Mr. Bryan asserts, a candidate must be known to be for woman suffrage, for prohibition and "against Wall Street."

As to Attorney General Palmer, Mr. Bryan says he entered the campaign in a position, "to deal sternly with the profiteer and an expectant public stood by to applaud, but the profiteer seems to have things all his own way and the attorney general is now suffering from the reaction." He adds that the attorney general is "unfortunate" too, in having to espouse the ratification of the treaty without reservations.

Former speaker Clark of the house of Representatives is mentioned as having his own state behind him, while opposition to Governor Edwards of New Jersey and Governor Cox of Ohio is reiterated.

Vice Marshall is accused of making "a feeble bid for the wet vote."

"Judge Gerard's candidacy has South Dakota's support and he has many personal friends among other delegates," Mr. Bryan says.

RECOVERING FROM INJURY.
Mrs. R. C. Caughey is able to be out again after having been confined to the house for the past five weeks with a badly sprained ankle.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

Attorneys Erwin and Cannon went to Polo Monday to transact legal business.

WANTED—Waitress at Colonial restaurant. 14813

FOR SALE—Dresser, commode and two clothes wringers. Call at 509 S. Galena ave. or call Y-903. 10413

FOR SALE—House hold goods at 924 West 1st St. 14813

FOR SALE—Four burner kerosene stove in good condition. Phone K-629. 14813

WANTED—To buy a Deering mower and rake. Tel. 44400. 14813

FOR RENT—7-room house on North Side, J. E. Valle Agency. 14813

WANTED—Three dish-washers at Nachusa Tavern. \$10 per week with board and room. 14813

FOR SALE—1914 Ford touring car in good condition. \$250.00 cash. Also \$65.00 Maytag power washing machine, like new for \$45.00 cash. Z. K. Hartson, Nachusa, Ill. 14813

Society

FOR MISS STACKPOLE—

Mrs. Raymond Fleming, of South Bend, Ind., entertained with a miscellaneous shower last evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Craig, 107 East Everett street, for Miss Florence Stackpole, who is soon to become the bride of Earl Pierce, of Ashton. The gifts were presented Miss Stackpole in a large basket tied with pink ribbons and were many and beautiful. The refreshments served were in pink and white. "The guests included intimate girl friends of the bride-to-be and were Misses Henrietta Florchuetz, Lucille Miller and Emma Craig, and Mrs. Walter Smith, all of Dixon, and Mrs. Raymond Book, of Youngstown, Ohio, who is a guest of the Craig family.

Miss Lucille Miller entertains for Miss Stackpole this evening.

TO OPEN BIBLE SCHOOLS—

Miss Alice Lehman left today to attend the convention at the Ashland Boulevard church, Chicago, for Community Vacation Bible school teachers and from there will go Saturday to Greenville, Ohio, where the first school will be opened under the direction of Burton Metzler, of Nappanee, Ind., by Miss Ruth Blocker, of Greenville, Ohio, and Miss Lehman, students of the Bethany Theological Seminary of Chicago. This team will be engaged in this work for eight weeks, starting schools in Cincinnati, Dayton and other Ohio towns.

ATTENDED SOCIAL—

Mrs. Edward Netz, Sr., the Misses Florence and Lena Netz, the Misses Ruth and Edna Dimmick, the Misses Anna and Freda Johnson, Mrs. Ruelah Platten, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Kost, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bovey and daughter, Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. William Bovey, of Dixon, attended the ice cream social given in the Christian church of Pennsylvania Corners last evening.

GOLDEN RULE CLASS SUPPER—

The Golden Rule Class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school had a scramble supper last evening at the home of Miss Lucia Spencer. Strawberry shortcake, most delicious and hot chocolate were added to the good things brought by the class members by the hostess' mother, Mrs. David Spencer. Eighteen were present to participate in the happy affair. A business session was held during the evening and the remaining time was spent in enjoying games and music.

AT SCOTT WISE HOME—

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boehm and their son, Lloyd Boehm, and his wife, all of Detroit, Mich., and Robert Williams, of Sterling, motored from Sterling to Amboy and spent Sunday at the home of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wise.

The Boehm family motored from Detroit to Sterling last week and are visiting relatives and old friends this week. They expect to make the return trip at the end of this week.

TO WATERLOO, IOWA—

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neher, nee Etha Trostle, left Franklin Grove yesterday for their home in Waterloo, Ia. They were married last Thursday and have been spending the intervening time in visiting relatives.

ST. ANN'S GUILD PICNIC—

The members of St. Ann's Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will enjoy the annual picnic on Friday, June 25, at Mrs. Eastwood's cottage at Assembly Park. For the picnic dinner to be served at noon each member is to bring own dishes.

GUESTS FROM CHICAGO—

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stackpole and children of Chicago, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stackpole.

HAVING PLEASANT TIME—

Miss Elsie Fallstrom writes friends of the delightful time she is having at Glade, Pa., as the guest of Miss Josephine Boyd.

MOTORED TO STERLING—

Miss Edith Runkey and Miss Mabel Ankey motored to Sterling Sunday and spent the evening there.

Miss Mabel Ankey spent Tuesday in Freeport.

HEADS OF RAILROAD UNIONS DENY RUMOR OF BIG STRIKE SOON

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were vacant and that they had lost all seniority rights, and the Brotherhoods are supporting the railroads and the labor board in their stand.

The strikers, however, have notified the labor board and President Wilson that they will accept no decision which does not include the restoration of their positions with full seniority rights.

Officials of the 15 railroad unions are to meet here Friday for consultation and to learn, if possible, when the board will decide the wage case.

Friday night a mass meeting will be held by the Chicago yard men's association and the United Enginemen's association the two striking unions to lay their case before the public.

The strike spread to Hannibal, Mo., today, when 65 Burlington switchmen failed to report for work. At Savannah, Ill., 50 men walked out last night.

DENY THREAT OF STRIKE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Cleveland, June 23.—Rumors that railroad unions will call a strike this week affecting all unions, were denied today by the chief executives of four transportation brotherhoods, engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen here. "Simply strikers' propaganda," said W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen. Officials of the fifteen railroad unions will meet in Chicago next Friday for consultation and to learn, if possible, when the decision of the railroads wage board on their wage demands will be announced.

ATTENTION, COMPANY F.

Members of Company F are again reminded of the field day to be held at Grand Detour Sunday and all those planning to go are requested by Captain E. J. Decker, commanding the Company, to report at the armory at 7:30 this evening in order that reservations for the breakfast and dinner may be made. The company is to leave the armory early in the morning, driving to Grand Detour, where they will breakfast. The forenoon and the hours after dinner will be spent in drilling and field work of various nature.

Mrs. Arthur Carnes and son returned last evening from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simonson of Chicago.

EXPECT CLOSE FIGHT AT 'FRISCO

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ing of which way the wind of administration influence would blow.

Others among the party leaders refused to take that view. Mr. Burleson who announced his stand yesterday at San Antonio, Texas, will not reach San Francisco until late in the week.

To Convention Floor

What every one does know, however, is that both sides of the controversy are bringing their heaviest artillery for a finish fight. After many conferences in an effort for harmony, Homer S. Cummings, the national chairman, said today it seemed to be a "fair bet" that the question would be taken to the convention floor for a settlement regardless of what decision was made in the platform committee.

Closely intertwined with the prohibition question is the problem of selecting a nominee in accord with the platform, as finally agreed on and among many of the practical politicians there is a feeling that the two decisions must be settled virtually at one stroke. So the pleas of candidates' managers are falling on deaf ears for the present while the leaders get their bearings on the more important question of a bone dry or a beer platform.

League Issue Eclipsed
The League of Nations disagreement along with several other disputed issues, has followed the question of candidates into temporary eclipse. Among most of the leaders it is agreed that whatever trouble develops over the treaty will be only a drop in the bucket compared to the prohibition fight.

Dry's Hold Committee

Leaders of the bone dry forces were confident today that they would command a good majority in the platform committee, who each state has only one member and could keep out of the committee report any declaration for a change in the present law. With this view most of the opposing managers privately agreed, but they declared that when an appeal was taken to the convention itself the vote would tell a much different story. The large states, it was pointed out, while having only one vote apiece in the committee will have a much larger voice in the whole body of delegates who are the final court of appeals. And most of the largest delegations are counted on for support by the advocates of a beer plank. A complicating feature of a convention floor fight would be the unit rule, under which many state delegations are instructed to vote as a body. It was suggested today, however, that there might be a

general agreement to let each delegate be counted according to his own convictions when the prohibition issue came to its final showdown. On that basis both sides were predicting victory.

Expect Hard Fight

Some of the oldest leaders declared, in fact, that the division might be close enough to make argument and oratory on the convention floor the deciding factor in any case such an open fight would be likely, it predicted to furnish many thrilling turns.

William Jennings Bryan would be expected to lead the bone dries and he probably would find pitted against him strategists and orators of the first rank.

W. Bourke Cochran of New York, was mentioned as one of those who might be asked to match wits and eloquence with the Nebraskan in the convention debate.

Bryan to Lead Dries

Although Mr. Bryan is expected to make a fight also against the administration treaty plank, the general belief of his friends here is that he will reserve his greatest efforts for the prohibition problem. He is expected to reach San Francisco late in the week, though the treaty firework may start with the arrival late today of Senator Carter Glass of Virginia who is credited with holding President Wilson's commission to write the administration League of Nations plank. Senator Glass is the leading candidate for chairman of the platform committee and the general prediction today was that he would be chosen to that position with little opposition.

Some of the anti-administration leaders had abandoned hope, however, that they might combine their forces to elect some one else.

May Change Program

Chairman Cummings said today that it was still an open question whether the adoption of the platform or the choice of a nominee would come first on the convention program. The prospect of a prolonged

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fight in committee over prohibition and perhaps some other subjects has led to movement to go ahead with balloting while the committee acts. The usual order is to dispose of the platform first, however, and the general feeling seemed to be that custom would be followed.

Deadline Predicted

Such talk as there was today regarding candidates seemed to strengthen the prospects of a deadlock for several ballots. Some of those in the inner circle said it was hard to conceive how the two-thirds necessary to nominate could be brought into one column for two or three rolls at least and they pointed out that two or three candidates divided the bulk of the voting strength among them, favorite sons and dark horses would be encouraged to prolong the deadlock.

In the generally accepted view the withdrawal of William G. McAdoo will operate to make a deadlock more likely by distributing more or less widely the strength which has been lined up behind him. Some thought, however, that a considerable following would vote for him despite his public withdrawal, while the most enthusiastic of the McAdoo supporters were still predicting that he would be the nominee.

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Wednesday
Congregational Missionary — Mrs. Thomas Altenderfer.

Thursday
C. C. Circle—Mrs. George Netiz. Sunshine Class Meeting—Mrs. Geo. Iles, 121 Boyd St.

Section 2, M. E. Aid—Mrs. S. S. Dodge.
Palmyra Mutual Aid Picnic—Lowell Park.

E. N. G. Club Supper—L. O. O. F. Hall.
Royal Neighbors—Miller Hall.

Section 3, M. E. Aid Society Meeting and Picnic Supper—Mrs. Lester Street Cottage, Assembly Park.

Friday
Presbyterian W. M. S.—Miss Agnes Raymond.

Mystic Workers—Miller Hall.
M. E. Aid Society Meeting—Church.

SHEFFIELD FAMILY REUNION—

Twenty-five members of the Sheffield family participated in a very pleasant family reunion on Tuesday, June 22nd, in honor of the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sheffield, of the Sheffield hotel, Grand Detour, where the reunion was held. At noon a three-course dinner was served, cut flowers decorating the tables, and the guests were also entertained at supper in the evening. Both meals were veritable banquets. Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield were remembered by the company with several handsome pieces of silver in honor of the occasion. After the dinner letters of congratulation were read from some of the absent relatives who found it impossible to attend. The guests included:

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sheffield and daughter, of Chicago; Mrs. Burnham Lapham and daughter, and Mrs. Maure Lane and two daughters, of Evanston; Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, of Rock Falls; Dr. and Mrs. Pankhurst, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sheffield, and A. H. Sheffield, of Grand Detour; Miss Bess Pankhurst, of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. William Hoover, of Grand, N. D.; and Mrs. Arthur Sheffield and daughter, of Dixon.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY MET—

The Rock River Valley Horticultural society held its strawberry festival at the Prairieville church on Tuesday, June 22nd, with sixty in attendance. The noon luncheon hour was occupied with the consumption of an excellent repast, with strawberries as the principal dessert. The program of the day consisted of music, readings and two highly interesting talks, one by L. S. Griffith, farm advisor, and the other by Miss Luella Powers. Miss Griffith urged the need of people giving all assistance possible to the farmer. The scarcity of farm labor is one of the great problems of the day and everything possible should be done to relieve this need which has a very important bearing on production and consequent high cost of living.

In Miss Powers' talk, she told of the methods used in raising canteloupes and watermelons at Rocky Ford, Col., as she observed them in her trip last year.

Other delightful numbers on the program were an instrumental solo by Miss Newman, a reading by Mrs. Carl Straw, another reading by Mrs. Myron Hartshorn, and a vocal solo by Miss Edna Powers.

The next meeting of the society, the grape festival, will be held sometime in September.

HOME FROM EASTERN TRIP—

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roe and Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Durkes returned Sunday evening from a motoring trip through the East of four weeks. They went to Troy, N. Y., to attend the commencement exercises of the Emma Willard School for Girls, from which their daughters, Miss Winnifred Roe and Miss Leona Durkes, graduated this year. Miss Durkes remained in Troy.

mained in Troy to take the examination for entrance into Wellesley College and Miss Roe joined her parents. The trip was a delightful one and included stops in Boston, Newport, and New York City. Miss Roe plans to enter Peabody Institute, Baltimore, Md., this fall to complete her musical education.

PLAN RECEPTION—

The Ladies of the G. A. R., Dixon Circle No. 73, held a well attended meeting of members and comrades on Monday evening in G. A. R. hall. The reports of the recent Department Convention, held in Joliet, were withheld until a later meeting. Plans were made for a reception to be given in honor of the two newly elected department officers which the Dixon Circle has furnished. Mrs. Mae Brookner Cupp, Department President, and Mrs. Marie B. Hetler, Patriotic Instructor. The date of the reception could not be fixed until the return of Mrs. Cupp, who is at present in Chicago arranging some of the details of the work incident to her office.

SECTION NO. 3, M. E. AID—

Section 3 of the Methodist Ladies' Aid society will have a scramble supper at the Mrs. Lester Street cottage in Assembly Park tomorrow evening, to which all members and their families are invited. In the afternoon a business session will be held and as this is the last meeting of the year it is important that all members attend. Each member is to bring own dishes, sandwiches, and one other article for the supper.

SOLDIERS INVITED—

All the soldiers of the late war are invited to attend the supper given by the losing side in the recent campaign of the American Legion, Dixon Post No. 12, for members to the winning side at the Elks club house tomorrow evening. The ladies of the Service Star Legion will prepare and serve the supper and an unusually excellent meal is assured.

TO DINE WINNERS—

The defeated team in the recent membership campaign of Dixon Post No. 12, American Legion, will entertain at dinner on Thursday evening, June 24th, the members of the victorious team. The dinner will be served at the Elks Club house at 6:30 o'clock by the Service Star Legion.

IS GRADUATE—

Floyd F. Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Richards, of 118½ East First street, is home from Chicago where he graduated with high honors from the Coyne Electric Trade School.

TO LIVE IN DENVER—

Miss Myrtle Anderson and brother, Vernon, left Tuesday for Denver, Col., where they will make their home. Their father, George Anderson, has been in Denver for some time.

DAY IN MORRISON—

Mr. and Mrs. P. Duffy and son, Lloyd, and Miss Proffiter, motored to Morrison Sunday in their recently purchased car and spent the day with the latter's sister, Mrs. W. Watson.

AT DIXON INN—

C. S. Evenson, agent for the Northwestern, entertained Yardmaster Haselberg and family at dinner at the Dixon Inn Tuesday evening.

MYSTIC WORKERS FRIDAY—

The regular meeting of the Mystic Workers will be held Friday evening.

PARIS FASHIONS IN FALSE TEETH

Paris, April 2.—We may safely predict for the coming season that styles in artificial teeth will include their being worn snug-fitting and smoothly cushioned in place by means of the dental plate comfort-soft powder Coraga, procurable at drug stores and dental dealers.

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PRACTICAL CLUB PICNIC—

A picnic of the members of the Practical club and their families, with those attending numbering about fifty, was held this afternoon at Lowell Park. A picnic supper is to be served in the early evening.

TO DEKALB NORMAL—

Miss Fay Morris, of Warren, Ill., who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Frances Ackert, has gone to DeKalb to take the summer course of the DeKalb Normal school.

TO TEACH MATHEMATICS—

Miss Cora Miller, of this city, who has been Mathematics teacher in the Mendota High school for the past few years, will teach the same subject in the Dixon High school this coming year.

M. E. AID SOCIETY—

The last meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church for the season will be held at the church parlors Friday afternoon, and it is desired that each section be represented.

GRADUATE FROM HOSPITAL—

Miss Vada Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hill of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Barge, also of Dixon, will graduate the coming week from the nurses' training course of the Moline hospital.

MISS CHIVERTON TO TEACH—

A student in the Frances Schimer Academy at Mt. Carroll, will teach in one of the primary grades of the Dixon schools the coming year.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS THURSDAY—

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be held Thursday evening in the Miller hall. A large attendance of the members is expected by the officers.

RETURNED FROM SEATTLE—

Miss Bess Pankhurst, a teacher in the Seattle, Wash., schools, is with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Pankhurst, of Grand Detour, for the summer vacation.

IN GRAND DETOUR—

The Misses Florence Bosworth and Gratia and Laura Rogers, of Dixon, are occupying their bungalow in Grand Detour for a few weeks.

WITH MRS. TURNER—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spittler motored here from Croport and are being entertained at the home of Mrs. Spittler's sister, Mrs. Alex Turner.

AT H. D. DRAKE HOME—

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Drake have returned home from St. Louis. Mrs. Carl Eifert, of St. Louis, accompanied them here for a two weeks' visit.

R. J. Dennis, of Assembly Park, is ill.

Sister Mary's Kitchen

From the very beginning of the calendar June has been acknowledged the perfect month. And brides choosing wisely have claimed it as their own.

If the ceremony takes place in the morning a formal breakfast is served to the wedding party and guests. The meal may be served as early as 10 o'clock and as late as 12:30. The breads are always hot, muffins or tiny raised rolls of some sort. To distinguish a breakfast from a luncheon, soup is never used, lights are not included in the table decoration, cream and sugar are served with the coffee and the coffee is served early in the meal.

Menu For Wedding Breakfast

Fruit cup, Lobster timbales, hot Mayonnaise, Olives, Radishes, Salted Nuts, Broiled squash, Potatoes au gratin, finger rolls, Romaine salad with French dressing, Toasted crackers, Breakfast cheese, Parfait d'Amour, Bride and fruit cake, Coffee.

A wedding that takes place in the afternoon is often followed by a reception. The bride has her table for the bridal party and guests are served at small tables. Simplicity should be the keynote but the meal needs to be quite substantial.

Menu For Wedding Luncheon

Jellied bouillon, Sweetbread and mushroom croquettes, New peas in cream sauce, Crown of lamb, Asparagus in molit, Radishes, Ripe Olives, Celery, Salted nuts, Stuffed tomato salad, Toasted crackers, Pineapple ice, Wedding cake, Black Coffee.

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New York	38	22	.633
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Washington	27	26	.509
St. Louis	28	28	.500
Detroit	19	37	.339
Philadelphia	16	43	.271

National League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	31	22	.585
Chicago	30	25	.545
Brooklyn	28	24	.538
St. Louis	30	27	.526
Pittsburgh	25	24	.510
Boston	22	26	.458
New York	23	32	.418
Philadelphia	23	32	.418

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Cleveland, 13; Boston, 5.
Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
Washington, 6; Detroit, 1.
St. Louis, 9; New York, 3.

National League.
Chicago, 10; New York, 4.
Cincinnati, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
Boston, 3; St. Louis, 2.
Pittsburgh, 9; Brooklyn, 7.

being performed at 8 o'clock, is perhaps the most formal. The "eats", however, are the simplest sort. A salad, sandwiches, fruit punch, fancy cakes and ices are all that is considered good form. Boxes of brides cake are often given to each guest as favors. The supper is served in the dining room as an old-fashioned "lap supper."

Menu For Wedding Supper

Assorted sandwiches, Crab meat salad, Salted nuts, Mint wafers, Ices in individual molds, Fancy cakes, Coffee.

We hear lots about the June bride but nothing about the June bridegroom. Yet it takes a groom to make a bride. Here's to the June bridegroom!

Y. M. C. A. GOSPEL TEAM SERVICE AT SUGAR GROVE

The Young Men's Gospel team of the County Y. M. C. A., composed of young men from Ashton and Bradford township, will conduct a meeting at the Sugar Grove church Sunday evening, next, at 7:45 o'clock. This team of six young men are all expert musicians, playing on several instruments, and an evening of good music, interspersed with some speaking, will be furnished. Everyone is cordially invited.

LEGION EXTENDS THANKS.

The members of the American Legion wish to thank the public for the generous patronage of the Community Circus, and to express their appreciation of the tireless work of the cast and committees, and the kindness of those who loaned properties.

We realize that the production could only be made successful through the co-operation of the community, and we wish the community to know that we thank them most heartily for giving that co-operation.

Dixon Post No. 12, American Legion.

Sterling Golfers Play Here Tomorrow

About 30 members of the Rock River Country club of Sterling will come to Dixon tomorrow afternoon to play the second series for the Tri-County cup match. The play will start about 2 o'clock and continue through the afternoon. At 6 o'clock the visitors will be tendered a complimentary banquet at the club house. The Dixon golfers won their first play for the cup invited.

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Years of love have been forgot
In the hatred of a minute.
—Poe.

It is the customary fate of new
truths to begin as heresies and to end
as superstitions.—Huxley.

COMMENCING.

"Commencement" is a more significant
word than "graduation."
Leaving school is a beginning, and
never before have young men and women
had such an opportunity for a
good start as in these times.
"The threshold of life," which will
be celebrated in many commencement
orations during the next few weeks,
never afforded such enchanting view
of success as now.

Formerly the commencement orator
spoke of himself as standing hesitant
at that threshold, his hand on the
latch of the closed door, a bit fearful
of what was in store for him within.

Today the door is wide open, and
welcoming hands beckon the graduate
to come right in and make himself at
home and get busy and take a share
in the construction of the industrial
empire that shall be America.

For America, too, is just "commencing,"
and, like the new graduate, has not
yet altogether found itself.

It, too, is standing on the threshold
of a great future, tremendous in its
opportunities; gorgeous with the vision
of success it presents, despite
temporary clouds that seem to obscure
the view at times.

About ten years ago it was customary
to say that the day of great opportunity
for young men had passed in
America. America, it was said, was
a completed structure; the railroads
were supposed to be all built, and its
possible industries were thought to be
established. The future was regarded
as involving more prudent upkeep of
the completed structure, rather than
calling for great new enterprises.

But the prospect has changed. A
new America is in the building. What
seemed finished now appears only half
done, great new enterprises are in
development. With giant strides America
advances into the markets of the
world. It is again a pioneer nation,
prospecting for opportunities.

Therefore, congratulations, 1920
graduates! It's a great year for commencing.

HUMAN SIDE OF PLANTS.

No one can thoroughly enjoy plants
until he or she knows them intimately.
Then it is that wonderful discoveries
are made.

For instance, Royal Dixon points
out in his book, "The Human Side of
Plants," there are plants that walk,
eat insects, that fish, that mimic,
defend themselves, keep a standing
army, employ an aerial squadron keep
servants and live stock, rob and plunder
and murder, that are athletes, that
ride on animals, that predict the
weather, tell the time of day, keep a
diary, build airships, build islands,
produce light, that see, that hide their
blossoms and fruit, and finally, that
carry on courtships and actually
marry.

In other words, plants are like human
beings. They live. They obey the
laws of nature just as men and
women and children do. They are a
part of life.

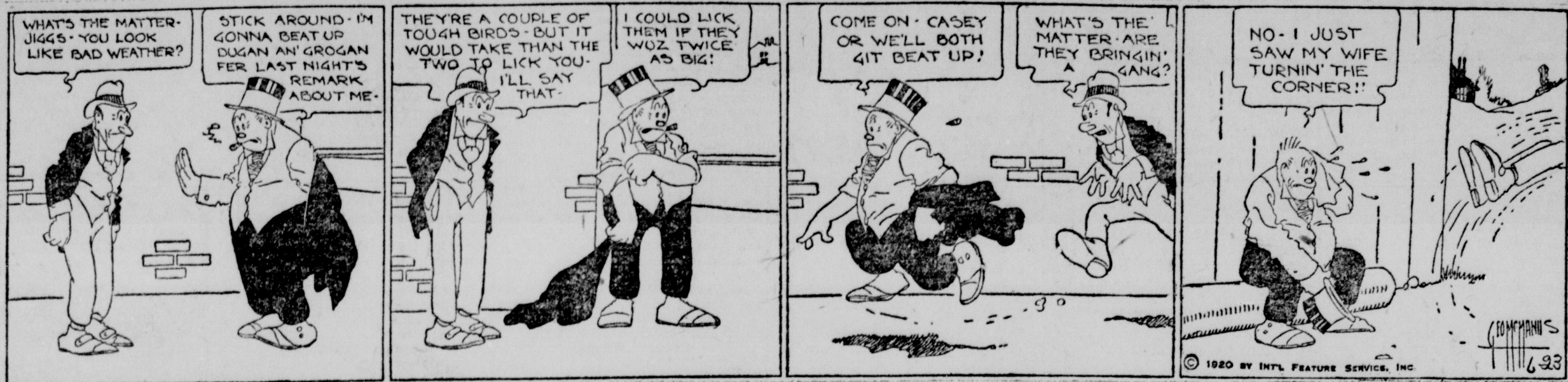
Among other plants that walk are
the current bush, white clover, sweet
potato and Wandering Jew.

Venus' Fly, which flourishes in
North Carolina, is noted for its ability
to devour insects.

The bladderwort, or Utricularia,
lives largely on sea food, tiny minnows
and other water life.

Many plants send their seed-children
out into the world by means of a
delicately molded airship. Among

BRINGING UP FATHER.



these are the dandelion, milkweed,
daisy and others. The airships are
marvelous works of creation.
Plants are truly wonderful things.
Study them.

TRAGEDY OF AGE.

Beautiful women think of old age
as their worst enemy.
Some face it open-eyed, knowing
that beauty which can be retained
is spiritual.

Others, deceiving only themselves,
refuse to recognize time's cruel in-
roads, and it's inevitable victory over
that beauty of youth which is phys-
ical.

Princess Pauline Metternich is open-
eyed, as she shows in her memoirs,
recently published in Berlin.

Her book contains these paragraphs
about a woman of the other sort, a
once famous beauty:

"She had forgotten that she was
growing old and still pictured her
as the admired beauty of a past
generation. All her beauty had
vanished. The marvelous curls
had tapered down to five or seven
yellow hairs. Her skin resembled
the rind of a lemon. Her body,
for one could see a great deal of
it, was a doddering skeleton. The
poor princess had scantily clothed
herself in a kind of shirt of white
batiste, held together by two flimsy
rose-colored scarves. That was
all.

"On the poor old weather-beat-
en head was perched a hat which
a youthful shepherdess would
have hesitated to wear. Thus at-
tired, she came to visit my
grandfather. The poor thing
sidled up to him and gave him
sidelong, anguishing glances. Poor
tragic mummy beside the stately
old diplomat, looking at him
eagerly with faded, blue eyes."

None but an intelligent woman who
understands the tragedy of age,
could have written so saucy an in-
dictment of a vanity that is as stupid
as it is pitiable!

THE WIGGLING NOSE.

It is difficult to wiggle one's nose.
Probably you noted the difficulty one
warm day when, with hands busy, you
sought to wiggle a fly off the tip of
your nose. Only a few people have
mastered the accomplishment. It
takes a deal of nose training. But a
quicker method has been discovered.

When Dr. Schlosser of Prague, Mo-
hemia, grafted some new skin on a
patient's broken nose, he added a por-
tion of the smaller muscles of the
chest. The result has been more than
satisfactory, for the patient now not
only possesses a perfectly good nose,
but is able to move it at will, as an
elephant shifts his trunk.

With a bit of effort and a few inches
of skin the learned surgeon may yet
graft a nose upon the human face,
large and wiggly enough to brush flies
off the ears. Or should he graft a
muscle in the ear and thus increase
the number of schoolboys who can
keep the whole room in a laughing
mood by merely wiggling an ear?
Anyhow, the operation is a con-
tribution to the question: "Has man
reached the limit of evolution?"

How foolish to worry about man-
datories, treaties, and the like, when
the fish are biting and the home team
is chasing the pennant.

Health Advice

By Uncle Sam, M. D.

Health Questions Will Be Answered
If Sent to Information Bureau
U. S. Public Health Service Wash-
ington, D. C.

Learning About Sex

"A large majority of boys get their
first permanent impressions about
sex from improper sources before the
age of twelve. The average age is
nine and one-half years. The source
of information is almost invariably
the older boys.

"The ideas thus gained often lead
to sexual practice between the ages
of 12 and 15 years."

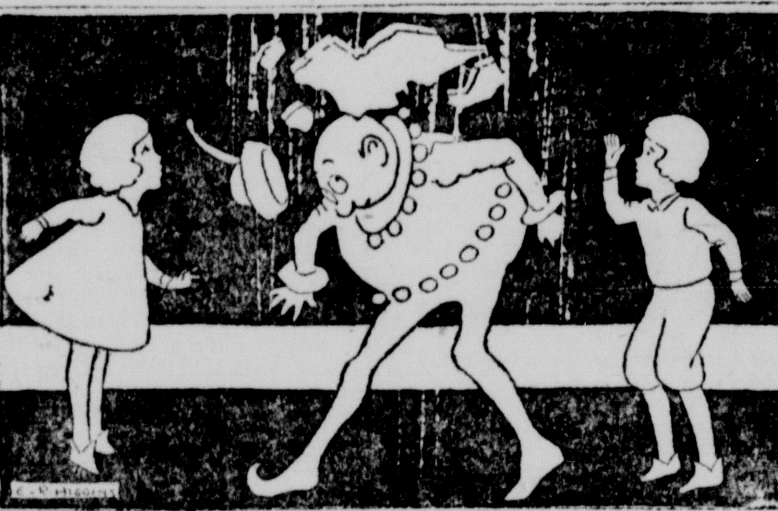
The above is taken from the report
of a comprehensive survey among a
group of college men, with a view
of finding what part sex education
might play in the prevention of so-
cial diseases. Two things were es-
tablished. First, that where parents
fail to tell their children what they

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

MR. TINGALING MAKES AMENDS

"My Goodness!" cried Tingaling,
like to tell Chirk that his house was in
bad shape, as it only ment more trouble
for the queen. However, he hadn't
mentioned rent since he fell down the
cellar stairs.

Tingaling was about to say, "Come
on children, we must be going," to
Nick and Nancy who were with him,
when slap! A great lump of plaster
fell right on top of him from the ceiling,
making him as white as coal-
ing, making him as white as coal-



A great lump of plaster fell right on top of him from the ceiling.

told you before that the Land-Of-
Dear-Knows-Where belonged to the
Fairy Queen, as well as did all the
other countries in Fairydom.

So Chirk's house belonged to her,
too, and if Tingaling didn't fix it, it
was simply because he didn't wish to
bother the poor queen with any more
troubles than she had already. With
nine hundred and ninety-nine corners
to her kingdom she scarcely had time
to sleep nights. So he really didn't

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should know the children learn what
they should not know from other com-
panions. Second, that improper in-
formation is one of the greatest fac-
tors in the spread of social diseases.

In waging a nation-wide campaign
for the eradication of social diseases
the U. S. Public Health Service
learned that ignorance of the facts
and a distorted attitude on the part
of the public are the first barriers to
be removed. Parents and educators
should realize that it is not possible
today for children to grow up without
learning about sex from some source.
They should give children the benefit
of wholesome knowledge sufficiently
early in life to protect them from the
dangerous ideas they are certain to get
from older associates.

Parents and teachers should write
the "Information Editor," U. S. Pub-
lic Health Service, Washington, D.
C., for useful information and instruc-
tive literature. Ask for pamphlets
"D and F."

Q. I have trouble with my ear
drums. Do I need to have an opera-
tion?

A. The ear is a very delicate mech-
anism and you should be sure to
trust yourself only to a good phys-
ician, preferably one who specializes
in diseases of the ear. Have your phys-
ician give you the name of some
good ear specialist whom you can
consult.

Q. Please advise through your
column if cancer is contagious or
catching.
A. It is not. If you will send me
your name and address I will be glad
to send you an interesting booklet
entitled "Cancer, Facts Every Adult
Should Know."

Q. Please advise me a good diet for
uric acid in the blood.

A. It is not possible for this office
to advise you specifically as to a diet
for uric acid trouble. In general, to
be sure, it may be well to restrict the
quantity of meats, eggs and other
albuminous products, and to omit es-
pecially such foods as liver and sweet
breads. You should also drink plenty
of soft water and see that the diet is
rich in fruits and vegetables. Be
sure, however, to consult your phys-
ician for specific directions.

JUST JOKING

A Compromise

"Now, Willie, if you promise not to
bellow like a calf while your tooth
is being pulled, I'll give you a bicy-
cle."

"It won't count, will it papa, if
I roar like a lion?"—Boston Trans-
cript.

He Had One

Judge—You say the prisoner struck
you. Have you any witnesses to prove
it?

Cassidy, pointing to his discolored
eyelid—I have an eye witness here,
yer honor.—Boston Transcript.

Confessions of a Bride
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The Blighted War Romance of Lucy
Searle Comes up for Discussion

Bob was even happier than I to set-
tle down in our own little home once
more. He liked it far better, I thought,
than he did the night we came home
first, the night he insisted on taking
off my wedding veil with his own
clumsy fingers.

"Our third honeymoon, my love—
my love!" was his brief comment, as
he unfastened my big fur coat. That
was characteristic of him. He never
talks much when he finds existence
satisfactory.

"It's a happy chance for us to find
that our married life improves with
time, isn't it Bob? Why, some of the
young people who married when we
did are already getting divorces!"

"Who, for instance?"
"Lucy Searle is suing Grant! Yes!
And it's a wonder if you do not get
summoned to court, Bob. She came
to see me today. Of course she tried
to find out what you might have told
me about Grant. Why, Bob, you've
never mentioned him since you came
home. I had to tell her that! Fancy!
Bob didn't look at me. Why he
should have done so, I couldn't have
told although he has a habit of using
his eyes a great deal when he talks.
He is very apt to ask a question by a
glance rather than by words.
Bob and Grant had been "buddies"

over there and Grant was no saint, I
knew, but that was not a reason why
Bob should avoid my eyes when we
discussed his friend. I had not
started the story with the least idea
that I was going to be suspicious of
my husband. I tried to thrust the
idea out of my mind but I couldn't
help noting that Bob's voice was a
little brittle when he said:

"Grant and Lucy had a real war ro-
mance! It lasted only for the duration
of the war. Lucy isn't acting a bit
too hasty, is she?"

"I don't see it so, dear. She told
me she found the pictures of four
queens in Grant's baggage. Then
letters from the ladies began to ar-
rive. She talked things over frankly
with Grant."

"Quarreled them over, I suppose."
"Anyway Grant begged her not to
leave him. He insisted that he still
loved her. He explained that the
girls always began it and he didn't
really know how he had managed to
get in so deep. Adam all over again.
That made Lucy simply furious. She
asked me if the disloyal husband al-
ways claimed he was tempted. I
couldn't tell her, Bob," I said, put-
ting my arm around my husband's
neck.

This little action cheered him re-
markably. Unfortunately every
change in his expression began to look

suspicious to me.

"Well, she offered to divorce Grant
on the condition that he would marry
one of the girls. What do you think
he said?"

Bob shook his head.
"He said he would be perfectly hon-
est. He could be happy with any one
of them and he could be just as
happy without the whole bunch. What
did he mean, Bob?"

"What he said, probably."
"I see," I said, knowing that the
man's point of view was outside my
comprehension.

Evidently Bob felt the insufficiency
of his reply, for he continued:
"My dear, men do not tell the stories
of their sentimental vagaries to
each other. I don't know what Grant
meant my dear."

"What do you suppose Lucy did
next, Bob?"
"What?"

"I could see that Bob was a lot
more interested than he pretended.
"She sat down and wrote a letter
to each of those four queens!"

Bob exploded in a sudden fit of
laughter. But he wouldn't tell
whether he was amused by Lucy's
performance or by the illumination
and disillusionment which she allotted
her rivals.

"So Lucy robbed him of the whole
bunch! Clever girl!" was his only
comment.

One can't tell what sort of race Ed-
wards makes until the returns come
in from Havana.

There would be a new pauper class
if senators were paid on a piece-work
basis.

30 YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Mr. and Mrs. John Cropsey arrived
in Dixon from Cheyenne to make
their home here.

Miss Grace Sickels of this city was
valedictorian of the graduating class
at Lake Forest college.

W. B. Page, Frank Coe, C. C. God-
frey and Charles Hughes went to
Freeport to attend the races, but ar-
riving there found the meet had been
called off because of high water.

TEN YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Maximum and minimum tempera-
ture for the day: 84 and 65.

Booker T. Washington celebrated
negro, wrote to Dixon asking to leave
Necedah Lodge for the summer.

A. G. Harris announced his candi-
dacy for Representative.

Clarence Wirth, aged 12, sustained
injuries when a bicycle he was riding
was struck by a car driven by S. E.
Johnson.

The Thomas Scanlan residence near
Harmon was burned to the ground. A
defective chimney caused the conflag-
ration.

Do not ask for credit on classifica-
tions.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Dixon who suffers back
ache, headaches, or distressing uri-
nary ills can afford to ignore the
Dixon man's twice-told story. It is
confirmed testimony that no Dixon
resident can doubt.

L. S. Fultz, prop. grocery, 703 De-
pot Ave., Dixon, says: "I have used
Doan's Kidney Pills and have found
them an excellent medicine for kid-
ney trouble. Occasionally I get pains
through my back, due to disordered
kidneys. When I have one of these
attacks, Doan's Kidney Pills always
relieve me. I highly recommend
them."

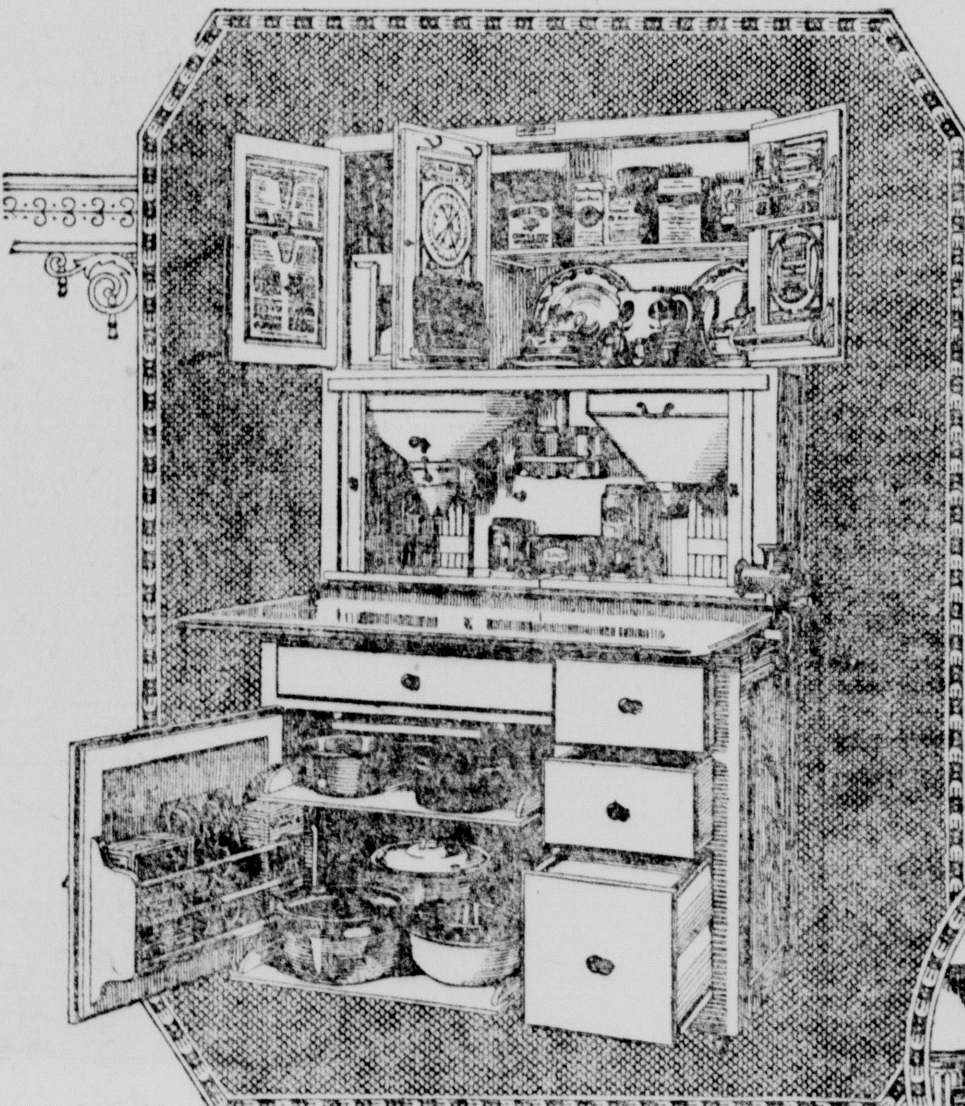
LATER TESTIMONY
Over two years later, Mr. Fult,
said: "Doan's Kidney Pills have cured
me of a severe case of kidney trou-
ble and I, therefore, feel grateful. I
am only too pleased to show my high
regard for Doan's by again endorsing
them."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mr. Fultz had. Foster-Milburn Co.
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ery detail about it has been thought out. See how each labor-saving feature will help
you organize and maintain a smooth-running kitchen.

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Author of Volstead Dry Enforcement Act Defeated in Primary

By Associated Press Leased Wire
St. Paul, June 23.—There was no change early today in the Republican or Democratic or gubernatorial races on unofficial and incomplete returns available from Monday's state primary election. With 550 precincts missing out of 3,195 in the state, J. A. O. Preus, state auditor, still led Dr. Henrik Shipstead, non-Partisan League candidate by more than 15,000 votes, for the Republican nomination.

For the Democratic nomination, Mayor L. C. Hodgson, of St. Paul, was ahead of R. W. Hargadine, by more than 6,000 votes with two-thirds of the precincts heard from.

Except in the second and seventh districts all present representatives in congress apparently have been nominated on the face of incomplete and unofficial figures. In the seventh district Rev. O. J. Kvale, of Benson, Non-Partisan candidate, won out over Representative A. J. Volstead, Republican, author of the Prohibition enforcement act. In the second district, Representative F. P. Ellsworth was not a candidate for re-nomination.

Warns Farmers to Look for Army Worm

W. E. Richards, soil adviser, of Kane county, has suggested to the farmers in that county to be on the lookout for an outbreak of army worms again this season. He is of the opinion that if they come again this season that they will be seen before the thirtieth of this month. Because of the large number last year there is the possibility they may come again this year.

He has advised the farmers to look for them in the grass land on the low spots especially when peaty soil is found. They breed in the grass land and move on the grain fields when they are large enough to have developed good appetites. The thing to do is to discover them before they leave the grass land and poison them there.

17-Year Locusts Make Appearance

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., June 23.—The seventeen year locust is just now proving a pest to the farmers of Central Illinois. They have come in swarms and are divesting many fruit trees of their burdens.

Complaint of new locust damages has been received by State Director of Agriculture Charles Adkins. Farmers in Morgan county, he says, have reported deaths among their goslings caused by eating dead locusts.

In Springfield the locust have infested the two large cemeteries. Their continual humming, as well as their ominous appearance, as they go from tree to tree in clouds, have given rise to much complaint.

When a New Guinea woman falls in love with a man she sends a piece of string to one of his female relatives. Then she who receives the string tells the favored man that the particular woman is in love with him.

Money must accompany classified ads, otherwise they will not appear in the paper. **tf.**

MRS. SIDNEY DREW



After more than a year of absence from the screen Mrs. Sidney Drew has returned because thousands of admirers asked her to give them one more chance to applaud her. She is "The Emotional Miss Vaughn" in the comedy of the same name.

Although she has not been acting herself, Mrs. Drew has been busy writing and directing the series of six plays in which she is featuring John Cumberland. Finding Miss Vaughn a person delightful to portray she decided to again face powder and be shot by the camera man.

Form New Cabinet In Germany, Report

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, June 23.—Formation of a new German cabinet is reported in a Berlin dispatch printed in a late edition of the Times this morning. The message saying new men have been found for a couple of posts in the ministry.

This cabinet is regarded as an emergency, one, the dispatch quotes the Tageblatt as saying and "must walk warily to maintain itself, but will at least be able to go to Spa as representing a large majority of the German people."

Many California wine growers this year will turn their vineyards into nut groves, because prohibition probably will discourage grape growing.

The Turks were the first people to bury their dead in cemeteries adorned with ornamental headstones.

Travelers say that nowhere in the world is coffee, as adrink, worse than in Java, where the coffee bean is supposed to be at its very best.

The hide of a cow represents 35 pounds of leather, and that of a horse a little more than half that amount.

Several Killed in German Food Riots

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, June 23.—Several persons are reported to have been killed at Ulm, Wurttemberg, in the course of riotous demonstrations against the high cost of food. Similar demonstrations are reported as occurring elsewhere in Wurttemberg, notably at Ravensburg, and in other parts of Germany, including Osnabrueck in Hanover, Crefeld, in the Rhine province, and Frankfurt-on-the-Main. Many clashes have occurred between the police and the reichswehr on the one hand and the demonstrators on the other.

Some circles of the Independent Socialists, advice report, are taking advantage of the unrest to urge the people to demand a dictatorship of the proletariat.

PINE CREEK.

Rev. Henry Trump, of Polo, preached at the Brethren church at Pine Creek Sunday morning. His discourse was very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Myers were callers at the Erastus Dimick home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Netts and daughter, Geraldine, motored to Monroe, Wis. Saturday morning to visit a sister of Mrs. Netts and with other relatives in that city.

William Davis and daughter, Miss Bertha, were dinner guests at the Ernest Schmidt home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Trump entertained at dinner Sunday Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Trump, of Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Summers are the parents of a young daughter born to their home, June 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Netts attended the home talent play at the Dixon Assembly Grounds on Friday evening.

A number from our vicinity were at Polo Thursday evening and enjoyed the band concert very much.

The Children's Day service, held at the Brethren church at Pine Creek on Sunday evening, was largely attended and the program given by the Sunday school was very interesting.

Millard Funk, of Oregon, was a caller at Pine Creek and Dixon Saturday.

Erastus Dimick delivered hogs to Polo Wednesday.

J. O. Longman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scott attended the Children's Day exercises in the West Jordan church near Woosung Sunday evening.

Official Denial of Mexican Revolts

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Mexico City, June 23.—Reports of revolts in various parts of the country were officially denied in a statement issued at the foreign office information bureau last night, which said that with the exception of the Villa movement in Chihuahua the country was peaceful.

ABE MARTIN.



Th' best way yet t' save white paper would be t' stop th' senate investigation committee's efforts t' prove we lost th' war. A feller does all his talkin' when he's engaged, but a girl waits till it's a cinch.

OAK RIDGE.

Walter Mumma and Harry Bolt-house had new milking machines installed recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Guyann attended the annual farm bureau picnic at Oregon last Thursday.

DeWitt Warner and family attended the Sherman tent show last Thursday evening.

The Benjamin Cooper family motored to Oregon last Thursday.

John Schryber entertained his brother and family at Polo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Law and son motored to Chicago last week where they spent a few days with relatives.

DeWitt Warner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mumma, attended the Farm Bureau annual picnic at Oregon last Thursday.

Harry Bolt-house and family visited relatives Sunday.

William Taylor spent Saturday at the Kyker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warner spent last Friday in Dixon.

John Hamilton and daughter, Ada, spent Saturday in Mt. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bartholomew visited Friday at the Bowen Brooks' home.

Mrs. Winters and daughter spent Saturday in Dixon.

Mrs. T. Brooke, who has been quite ill, is much improved in health.

TO OPEN RESTAURANT.

George Richards and sons, of this city, will open up the Amboy Restaurant at the corner of Main street and East avenue in Amboy soon.

The 28 nut growing districts of California has produced 50,000,000 pounds of nuts.

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Lawyers Want Half Million to Spend

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, June 23.—A \$531,464 appropriation to fight the increase in rate allowed the surface lines and telephone company and increased rates by the elevated railroads has been requested by the city law department of city council.

A Chicago business firm pays a bonus of 100 to any employee who announces a new baby in his family.

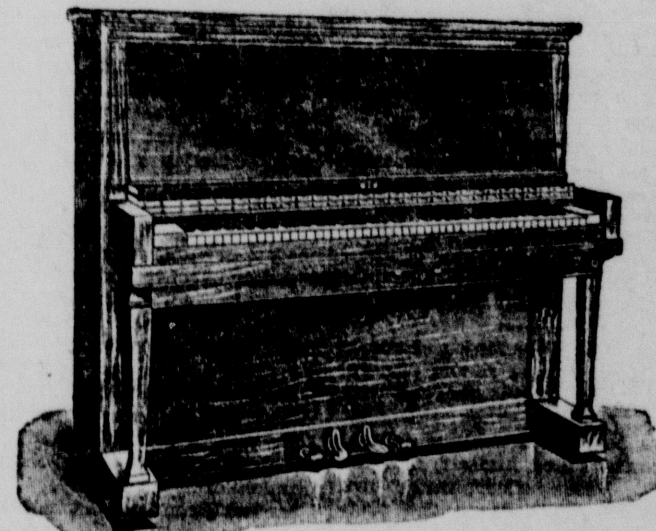
Stat to Boost to Increase Regiments

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, June 23.—To attract young men to the Illinois National Guard Service, Governor Lowden has appointed a commission to instill the spirit of enthusiasm into the various regiments. The city's five armories will have athletic apparatus and social features.

Common house sparrows fly at the rate of 72 miles an hour.

KENNEDY'S

104 GALENA



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Impure ice in drinking water causes typhoid and other illnesses.

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Public Sale

By virtue of an order of the County Court of Lee county, Illinois, I will sell at public auction at the farm known as the Dysart farm, located 7 miles northeast of Dixon and 4 miles north of Nachusa, on

Friday, June 25

1920, the following described property, to-wit:

14 HEAD OR HORSES

consisting of 1 roan gelding 2 years old; 1 gray gelding 2 years old; 1 black mare 9 years old; 1 gray mare 6 years old; 1 gray mare 10 years old; 1 bay mare 2 years old; 1 bay gelding 3 years old; 1 gray mare 9 years old with colt; 1 bay mare 3 years old; 1 gray gelding 10 years old; 1 gray mare 12 years old with colt.

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Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Licensed Wire

BERLIN—The Fehrenbach cabinet collapsed owing to the majority Socialist refusing to support it, said a Berlin dispatch to the London Times.

WIMBLEDON—William M. Johnston, California, United States singles champion, was defeated by J. C. Parke, British international player in the second round for the British championship.

LIVERPOOL—Officers and engineers have joined other ship workers in their decision not to sail on ships unless they carry union wireless operators, who are on strike.

WASHINGTON—In a petition filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Pullman company expressed opposition to a surcharge on railway tickets of Pullman passengers.

MEXICO CITY—Yellow fever is believed to have broken out at Vera Cruz, where numerous cases of bubonic plague recently have been reported.

BERLIN—Riotous demonstrations against the high prices of food, in which many persons were wounded in clashes with the police, are reported from Osnabrueck, province of Hannover; Orefeld in the Rhine province and from Frankfurt on the Main.

MEXICO CITY—Major Ernesto Huerrero, upon whose report General Rodolfo Herrero, who is charged with responsibility for former President Carranza's death, bases his statement that Carranza killed himself, told the Associated Press Carranza's own words shortly before death, the position of his body the nature of the wounds and three empty cartridges indicated suicide.

PITTSBURGH—Alfalfa mixed with certain organic chemicals will produce a serviceable grade of news print paper, J. J. Clark of a paper manufacturing concern, told the Pittsburgh advertising club.

PROF'S FAMILIARITY WITH GIRL SCORED.

New York—Principal Oliver C. Morford of Public School No. 139 was found "not guilty" yesterday of the charge of "gross misconduct" in having kissed a 13-year-old girl pupil. The local board which tried him, however, announced that it disapproved of such "familiarity."

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POLO.

John Loveplace of Audubon, Iowa, came Tuesday to visit his cousins, Mrs. William Strickler and Frank Niman and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Olin Shaw of Milledgeville spent Wednesday here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw.

Mrs. James Hawkins went to Freeport Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Roy Held.

The Presbyterian Sunday school held their annual picnic at Lowell park near Dixon Thursday.

Percy Ashford of Marietta, Wis., came Monday evening to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ashford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slifer and daughter and Mrs. John Heckman spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Price.

Miss Myrtle Snyder who has taught school the past year at Cincinnati, Ohio, is expected home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tavenner, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Burke of Polo, Mr. and Mrs. John Fearer of Cedar Falls, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Fearer of Grundy Center, Iowa, were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brooks at Oregon.

Mrs. Frank Niman will leave Friday evening for Kansas City, Kas., to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Margaret Franks went to Chicago Thursday morning to attend a Methodist convention.

Mrs. John Fulton and daughter Phyllis of South Dakota came Wednesday evening on a two weeks visit with her parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Samuel Adams and mother, Mrs. Ellen Schryver, who has been visiting their sisters and daughters, Mrs. S. B. Dexter of Redondo, Cal., returned home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Miller entertained at dinner their children and grandchildren on Friday.

Samuel Brenner was called to Dixon by the death of his brother, Jacob last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Strickler who have been visiting in Oregon and De Kalb, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hergeth and Dr. R. B. Perry returned home Saturday evening where they attended

the commencement exercises of the college at that place.

The funeral of Miss Emma McCann took place Wednesday afternoon and was largely attended. The floral offering were many and beautiful.

Some of the relatives from out of town were Mrs. Garrett Grey, Miss Sadie Robinson and George Haley of Connersville, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. June Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Murray of Milledgeville and Mrs. Nona Deterlie of Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaver of Dixon attended the band concert here Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coffey of Milledgeville were Polo visitors Thursday evening.

Miss Faye Miller was taken to the Dixon hospital where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. L. A. Beard entertained Thursday afternoon in honor of her son and bride who returned Saturday evening from Chicago, Ill.

The Methodist Sunday school held their annual picnic at Lowell park Friday.

Mrs. John Wilson, Jr., of Dixon spent from Wednesday until Saturday at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Sr. Mr. Wilson came Saturday and she returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert D. White and son Kenneth left Saturday for their home in Chicago.

Homer Wright returned home recently from a four weeks' visit with relatives in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Mrs. George Drenner went to Dixon Tuesday for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trego went to Rochelle Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Roy Allen, and family.

Mrs. Dahler and son of Dixon were guests of Mrs. William Lyon the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bondi and daughter Mary and son Phillip were Polo visitors Saturday.

George Bernard, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Potts, passed away Friday afternoon, June 11, of spinal meningitis after an illness of only 24 hours duration, aged one year and four months. Private funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon, Rev. R. B. Peery, pastor

of the Lutheran church officiating. Burial was made in the Brice church cemetery.

The Lutherans held their annual picnic in Lowell park near Dixon on Tuesday and the affair was well attended.

Benton and Rob Roy Peery who graduated from the Midland college at Fremont, Neb., returned home the first of the week.

Mrs. Lee Stevenson is again ill and is under the care of a nurse.

Mrs. Martha Miller of Polo and William Johnson of Iowa, were united in marriage at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, June 18 at the home of the bride.

Rev. Arthur Cotes, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Scott witnessing the ceremony. A wedding supper was enjoyed at the home of the bride's daughter, Mrs. C. E. Powell, after which Mr. and Mrs. Johnson took the 7 o'clock train on a two weeks trip and on their return will make their home at the bride's residence east of Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roler, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Diehl returned to Freeport Monday on business.

Martin Naylor of Sycamore came Saturday evening to spend a few days with his family.

Some of those from Polo who attended the Rebeah lodge school of instruction in Dixon Tuesday afternoon and evening were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wendle, Mrs. Irvin Reinert, Mrs. Charles Johnson, Miss Emma Smith, Mrs. Albert Yates, Mrs. Maurice Miller, Mrs. Harry Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Kane, Mrs. Errett Diehl, John Mayes, Wendle, Miss Ella Holly, John Mayes, Mrs. Clarence Gaylor, Mrs. Effie Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Albertice Tice and Mrs. Elsie Schrader.

Miss Thelma Madison of Alden, Ill., came last Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wetzell and son of Calumet, Mich., are enjoying a visit with Mrs. Wetzell's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. More.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen moved from Polo to Altamont, Ill., where they will make their future home.

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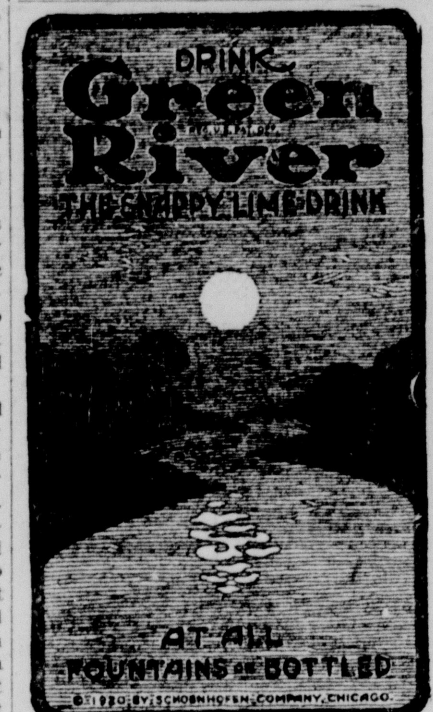
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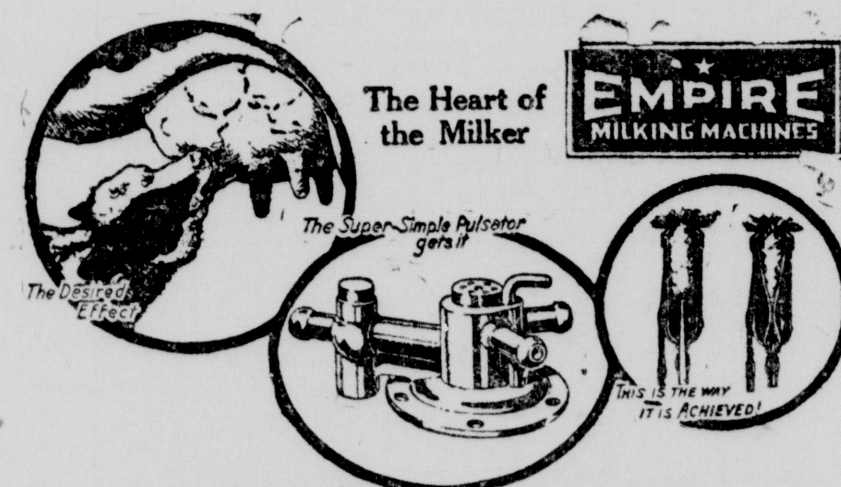
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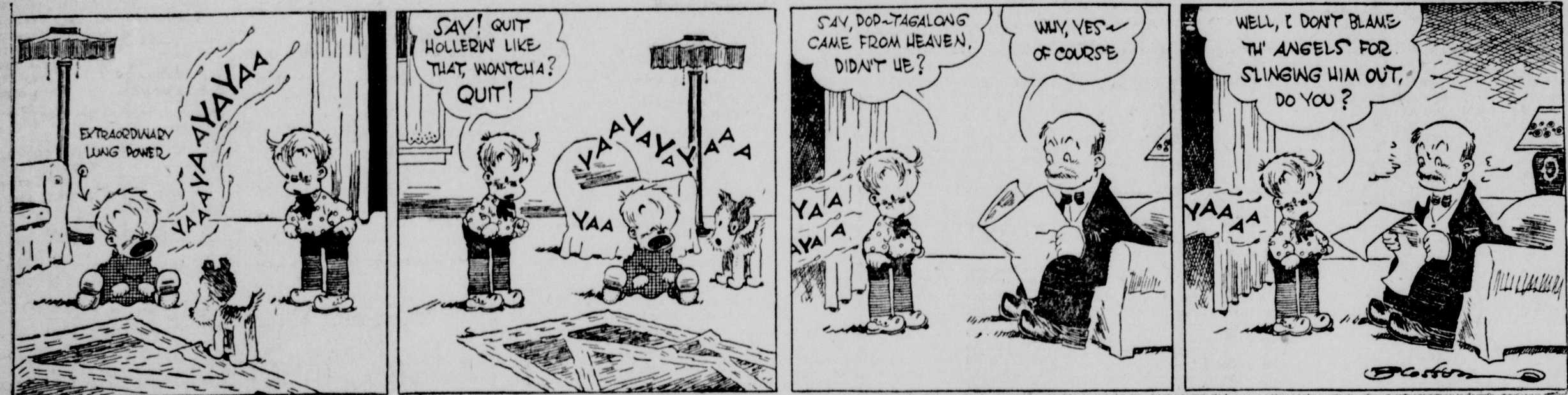
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STEWARDS

Mrs. Frank Chadwick and son are visiting here among friends. Mrs. Herick and daughter, of Kansas, are visitors here at the home of Mrs. Lucy Herick. The Ladies' Aid Society met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Whitfield Smith. There was a large attendance and a very enjoyable time was passed. The afternoon was spent in a social manner, with refreshments served by a number of the ladies. A collection of over six dollars was taken. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hawley are the parents of a son, June 14th. Lee Wagner was an over Sunday visitor here. Joe Andes, Sr., has purchased the property formerly owned by Mrs. Shearer and rented by Paul Lazier and family. Mildred and Florence Titus were visitors here a few days with their grandmother and aunt. Children's Day exercises will be given Sunday evening at the church, with Decision Day in the morning. A Sunday School picnic will be held next Tuesday at the Reynolds church. Dr. D. C. Berkshire, of Rochelle, was in town on Friday in the interests of his business. Miss Marjorie Cook graduated from Northwestern University, Evanston, on Wednesday. Her parents and a number of her relatives attended the exercises.

Schmaus, son of F. B. Schmaus, of this city, were pleasantly surprised to learn of his recent marriage to Miss Nellie May Curry, of Kansas City, Mo. The groom was born and grew to manhood in this city and for the past few years has been a railway mail clerk with headquarters in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Schmaus will reside in Chicago. The friends extend heartiest congratulations and best wishes. The closing exercises of St. Mary's school were held at the opera house Friday evening. A good program was given and a large audience was present. Dr. J. M. O'Malley is seriously ill of pneumonia at his home on South Main street. Robert Jackson spent the latter part of last week at the home of his uncle, George Limerick, near Malden. O. M. Shannon is visiting relatives at his boyhood home in Carlyle, Pa. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Darrett Erwin, on Friday, June 18th. Children's Day was observed with appropriate exercises at the M. P. church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dolan and baby, of LaGrange, are visiting at the Dolan home here. The Flora DeVoss Co. closed a week's engagement here Sunday evening.

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ning, going from here to Prophetstown. W. H. Knuth transacted business in Walnut last Tuesday. Rev. J. W. Cummings in enjoying a new Ford sedan, the gift of the members of his parish. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ruff visited relatives in Rockford last week. Mrs. F. J. Burke and daughter, Mrs. J. P. Conley and children, and Mrs. Charles Dolan and daughter attended the Children's Day party at the Country Club Tuesday. Mrs. O. L. Stevenson was called to Chicago Tuesday by the serious illness of her father, Mr. Rheim. Oscar Schmaus, of Thompson, Iowa, spent last week with his mother, Mrs. F. B. Schmaus. Mrs. Doak, of Victoria, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. F. Ryan. Miss Mabel Johnson spent last week at the home of her friend, Miss Pearl Clinton, at West Bureau. Miss Frances Fagan, who has been teaching in the public schools at De-

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Mrs. Eva Howard is assisting in the care of her father, Philip Hensel, who is seriously ill at his home south-east of town.

Dr. J. A. Clausen and family, of Walnut, were guests Sunday at the H. A. Jackson home.

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